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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Rauno RANTANEN

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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

SIR:

Amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Cancel claims 68 to 70, without prejudice.

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